

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

**D'AMATO ET AL.**Serial No. **09/780,650**Filed: **February 12, 2001**For: **ESTROGENIC COMPOUNDS AS  
ANTI-MITOTIC AGENTS**Art Unit: **1617**Examiner: **Badio, Barbara P.**

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.312**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.312, please enter the following amendment and consider the appended remarks. As of the time of filing of this amendment, the issue fee for the application has not been paid.

Although no additional fees are believed to be required, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees required by this action, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-0855.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 3.

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Petition, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on June 28, 2006.

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